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## ROBIN WEINSTEIN EARNS CERTIFICATION AS A SENIOR PROFESSIONAL IN HUMAN RESOURCES

(SALEM, NJ)—Deputy Director David T. Lindenmuth today announced that Deputy County Administrator Robin Weinstein recently earned certification as a Senior Professional in Human Resources (SPHR).

"In just over two years Robin has firmly established the Department of Human Resources for the County of Salem by implementing standard policies and procedures for all county departments, expanding training opportunities both to county employees and outside entities such as municipalities and businesses, and streamlining routine personnel functions," said Deputy Director Lindenmuth. "This department has helped make County government more efficient and compliant with the ever-changing employment laws. We are proud that Robin has attained this professional certification."

The certification, awarded by the Human Resource Certification Institute (HRCI), signifies that Weinstein possesses the theoretical knowledge and practical experience in human resource management necessary to pass a rigorous examination demonstrating a mastery of the body of knowledge in the field.

"Certification as a human resource professional clearly demonstrates a commitment to personal excellence and to the human resource profession," said Susan Meisinger, SPHR, President and CEO of the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM). HRCI awards two levels of certification: Professional in Human Resources (PHR) and Senior Professional in Human Resources (SPHR).

To become certified, an applicant must pass a comprehensive examination and demonstrate a strong background of professional human resource experience.

HRCI is the credentialing body for human resource professionals and is affiliated with the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM), the world's largest organization dedicated exclusively to the human resource profession. The Institute's purpose is to promote the establishment of professional standards and to recognize professionals who meet those standards.